

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
United States Department of Justice  
New York, New York

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MEMO:

Re: JOINT ANTI-FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Special Agent Edward W. Buckley on March 17, 1947 obtained from [redacted] a letter on the stationery of the captioned organization dated March 13, 1947, headed "Dear Friend", and signed by MORRIS OSIPOW as Chairman of the Chelsea Committee of the Spanish Refugee Appeal.

In the letter OSIPOW states that a local committee of the captioned organization has been set up in Chelsea. He mentions that there is to be a musical evening on April 11, 1947 at the Needle Trades Auditorium, 225 W. 24th Street, New York City, at which the program will be:

TED ALLAN, CBS reporter in Spain,  
Topic: "Inside Franco Spain"

MAX POLLIKOFF, concert violinist

LEADEBERRY and WOODY GUTHRIE

MARY LOU WILLIAMS

KATHERINE DUNHAM Dancers

OSIPOW stated in his letter that by attending this function a contribution will be made to sustain the life and health of the "first fighters against Fascism who live now with the hope of returning home to help build a democratic Spain."

The informant has also made available a form to be used in requesting tickets for the above mentioned function. This form, together with the letter itself, is being made an exhibit in instant case.

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